



# Glue Traps (Offences) Act 2022

## 2022 CHAPTER 26

PROSPECTIVE

### *Enforcement and other powers*

#### **4 Enforcement powers of constables**

- (1) If a justice of the peace is satisfied by information on oath that—
- (a) there are reasonable grounds for believing that an offence under [section 1](#) is being or has been committed, and
  - (b) evidence of the offence, or any glue trap which may be liable to be forfeited under [section 1\(10\)](#), may be found on any premises,
- the justice of the peace may grant a warrant to any constable to enter and search those premises, if necessary using reasonable force, for the purpose of exercising a power conferred by subsection (2).
- (2) After a constable has entered premises under [subsection \(1\)](#), the constable may seize and detain for the purposes of proceedings under this Act—
- (a) anything the constable reasonably believes to be evidence of the offence, or
  - (b) any glue trap which may be liable to be forfeited under [section 1\(10\)](#).
- (3) A constable may, for the purpose of assisting the constable in exercising a power conferred by subsection (2), when entering premises under [subsection \(1\)](#), take with them—
- (a) any other person, and
  - (b) any equipment or materials.

#### **Commencement Information**

- II** S. 4 not in force at Royal Assent, see [s. 10\(2\)](#)

**Status:**

This version of this provision is prospective.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Glue Traps (Offences) Act 2022, Section 4.